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### BOLTS AND BOASTS ABOUT IT.

It is nothing new to hear of officers violating platform pledges, but it remained for Auditor Henry M. Bosworth to not only work against the Public Utilities Commission Bill, promised the people in the last Democratic platform, upon which he was a candidate, but to actually boast of the fact after its defeat in the House. No criticism can be made of Gov. McCreary, as he did all he could to carry into effect this platform promise. The people, however, should (and we believe will) remember Mr. Bosworth's attitude in this instance four years from now, when we understand he will again be a candidate.

Senator Bradley says the Roosevelt leadership in Kentucky is composed of "Men who vacated office, men who were removed from office and men who were defeated for office," while the admirers of the "Big Noise" say the Taft following is made up of "Men in office desirous of staying and those seeking office."

We have heard a number of complaints recently from both the city and county that the community is overrun with worthless dogs. We are confident the tax has not been paid on them and would suggest that the Sheriff, with his deputies, and the Chief of Police, with his, get busy and kill a hundred or two.

Bro. Schoberth, we advised you last week not to come in contact with that Cantrill buzz saw.

### NEWLY ELECTED EXALTED RULER



PROF. W. O. HOPPER

At the last meeting of Mt. Sterling Lodge No. 723, B. P. O. Elks, Prof. W. O. Hopper, was elected Exalted Ruler for the ensuing lodge year. He is at present Superintendent of our city school and is popular, not only with his Brother Elks, but with all who know him.

The other newly elected officers are as follows:  
Dr. W. R. Thompson—Esteemed Leading Knight.  
Mr. W. C. Hamilton—Esteemed

Lecturing Knight.  
Mr. T. J. Tonkin, Jr.—Esteemed Loyal Knight.  
Mr. C. W. Kirkpatrick—Tyler.  
Mr. E. W. Senff—Secretary.  
Mr. J. H. Conner—Trustee.  
Mr. J. O. Greene—Treasurer.  
Messrs. W. S. Lloyd, W. B. White, R. G. Kern—Board of Governors.  
Mr. R. G. Kern—Delegate to Grand Lodge.  
Mr. R. H. White—Alternate to Grand Lodge.

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### ROOSEVELT KIND

Scriptural Injunction Observed Among the Unusual.

In Sparta, Tenn., lives a negro man, aged 100 years and 10 months. This negro is a real African. He is in good health, has good eyesight and good hearing. He has been married four times and his present wife is 47 years old. With first wife he lived 35 years, raised 14 children; with second wife he lived 10 years, raised 9 children; with third wife he lived 16 years, raised 12 children; with fourth wife he is living and has raised 12 children, making a total of 47 children.

By each of his first, second and third wives he had twins twice, and out of wedlock he has seven children, making a total of 54 children. He says his grand children and great, great grand children would surely make an army for the war. His name is Tom Woodford and was sold by Col. Oliver, of Richmond, Va., and sent to Alabama and after the war was brought to Sparta, Tenn., by Mr. Eddey Paul. This negro has been very stout, could carry on his head a tub with 300 pounds of weight with the greatest of ease.

Noticing a deep scar on the negro's forehead I asked what caused it and he said it was a cancer and was cured by a country doctor, who applied a medicine so strong that the pain knocked him down. The application was made three times, after which the cancer fell out.

A judge of one of the courts in Sparta said he surely would have lived many years longer but for the whiskey drunk and the indulgence of other abuses. "Tom," said he, is a real negro, can't help from taking things. For instance I had killed hogs, weather turned warm and I decided to have the bones taken out of the hams and employed Tom to do the job.

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Some time after my wife called me and informed me Tom had taken the bones out of the hams but left only the hulls. Tom don't do that way any more but lives off the charities of the people."

[The above item was contributed by Mr. J. W. Hedden, who recently visited in Sparta.]

See our wash suits for boys now on display. Walsh Bros.

It may be truly said that no organization has been more effective in the creation of ideas and the formation of policies that have in turn promoted the efficiency of the schools of the State than the Kentucky Educational Association. The first meeting of the Association was held forty years ago and it has had much to do with the betterment of the school system of the State from that day to this, and today it is the most potent factor in the educational life of the State. The Louisville meeting of this Association which will be held on June 25-27 promises to eclipse all former meetings in the points of attendance, organization, thought, and action.

Join the Montgomery County Fish Club and help protect the fish in your ponds and streams. 36-2t

Young married couples should benefit by Hazelrigg & Son's offer.

### A Visit to the Greenhouse.

It was the writer's pleasure one day last week to visit the greenhouses of John Corbett, the florist and we are frank to admit we did not have any idea that Mt. Sterling could boast of such an up to date modern plant. Mr. David Harris, who is a graduate of the Ohio Experimental Station and has also worked in Germany and Switzerland for two years, is in charge, and in his clear, concise way explained many interesting facts about growing flowers, plants, etc., and was very kind in naming many of the beautiful things to be seen there. Mr. Corbett has sixty varieties of geraniums, hundreds of new German plants, six or eight varieties of carnations, several varieties of ferns, among the latest being the Roosevelt, and the most beautiful table fern called Baby's Breath, besides an assortment of flowers of all kinds that would do credit to a city florist's greenhouse. If you are interested in flowers, or the cultivation of vegetables, it will be worth your while to pay a visit to this house.

### Carriage.

Call Lloyd's stable, 'phone 281, for carriage to and from depot, 25 cents each way, also baggage. Prompt and first class service. 36-6

### Mrs. Robt. Bean Dead.

The many friends of Mrs. Robt. E. Bean were saddened by the news that she had passed from earth to heaven at a hospital in Wichita, Kansas, on Saturday evening, March 2. Mrs. Bean was a sister of Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson and was known and loved by a large circle of relatives and friends. Mrs. Bean is survived by her husband and three children. Mr. Bean was well known here, having been with the firm of Chiles, Bean & Co. for a number of years. His friends sincerely sympathize with him in his great loss.

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